

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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	) Group Art Unit: 2626
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Applicants: BAKIS et al.	) Examiner: Douglas C. Godbold
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Application No.: 10/695,979	) <b>RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL</b>
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Filing Date: October 29, 2003	) Docket No.: YOR920030379US01
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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR	) <b>PTO Customer Number 48175</b>
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Mail Stop Amendment (via EFS)  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are:

1. ☒ Response to Non-Final Office Action mailed September 4, 2008.
2. ☒ While no fees are believed due in conjunction with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. **50-1852** as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
  - i. ☒ Credit any overpayment.
  - ii. ☒ Charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

Respectfully submitted,

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